GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3423
ANSWERED ON:11.12.2001
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION PROJECT
PRABHUNATH SINGH

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government had taken up National Capital Region Project in hand;

(b) if so, the details in this regard and the money already invested therein, year-wise;

(c) the reasons for the NCR projects remained behind the schedule and the steps taken to expedite the same;

(d) whether due to the laxity in completing that project, Delhi had become a place unworthy for habitation, business and other ways;

(e) if so, whether the construction of flyovers and Metro Rail will not yield the desired result; and

(f) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR URBAN DEVELOPMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a): Yes, Sir. The Government has constituted National Capital RegionPlanning Board (NCRPB) under the National Capital Region Planning Board Act, 1985 (Act No.2 of 1985)enacted by the Parliament with the concurrence of the Legislatures of the States of Haryana, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh.It has the mandate for preparing a plan for the development of the National CapitalRegion and for coordinating and monitoring the implementation of such plan and for evolving harmonised policies for the control of land uses and development of infrastructure in the National Capital Region so as to avoid any haphazard development thereof.

(b): The NCR Planning Board, since its inception, has financed 148projects, out of which, 68 have been completed and the remaining 80 projects are at different stages of implementation. The total estimated cost of these projects is Rs.4277.40 crores for which a loan amounting to Rs.1126.28 crores was released to different member States as on June, 2001. The State Governments havereported an expenditure of Rs.1546.85 crores as on June, 2001. The State-wise details of NCR funded projects and year-wise release of loans to States/Implementing Agencies by NCRPB is annexed.

(c): Out of the 80 ongoing projects, 15 have time overruns while the remaining 65 are at various stages of implementation as per the approved schedule. These schemes though approved and provided loan assistance by the NCRPB are implementedby the State Governments and their agencies.

The delay is mainly due to land acquisition problems and related legal issues. As per the decision of the 23rd Board meeting, the responsibility of physical and financial monitoring of the projects rests with the concerned State Government.

The Board also regularly monitors the progress of the projects through periodical review meetings, besides field inspections by the officials of the Board.

(d)to(f): Delhi MRTS Project being built at estimated cost of Rs.8518 crores comprising of the following approved corridors:

(i) Delhi University to ISBT to Connaught Place to Central Secretariat (11 Km).

(ii) Shahdara to ISBT to Tri Nagar to Nangloi (25 Km.)

(However work on Trinagar-Nangloi is presently held in abeyance).

(iii) Tri Nagar to Barwala (15.98 Km.).

It is expected that full project of completion in middle of 2005 would serve 19.5 lakh commuters per day. The total expenditure as on 30.11.2001 is Rs.1574.63 crores and physical progress is 17%.

There are 24 flyovers which have been constructed by various local agencies in Delhi.

Additionally 11 flyovers and grade separator are at different stages of constructions.

With the construction of Metro Rails and flyovers it is expected that traffic flow in Delhi will improve to a considerable extent.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3423 FOR 11.12.2001.

STATE-WISE DETAILS OF NCR FUNDED PROJECTS

(Rs.in Crores)

STATE	NO. OF SCHEMES	ESTIMATED COST	LOAN SANCTIONED GOI	LOAN RELEASED UPTO NCRPB	LOAN RELEASED UPTO JUNE-01	EXPENDITURE
U.P.	58	1445.56	636.67	5.62	419.34	584.54
RAJASTHAN	45	375.54	151.30	3.37	137.98	182.71
HARYANA	41	2022.50	750.96	4.69	534.22	728.68
SUB-TOTAL	144	3843.60	1538.93	13.68	1091.54	1495.93
CMAs+	4	433.80	54.00	0.00	34.74	50.92
TOTAL	148	4277.40	1592.93	13.68	1126.28	1546.85

+ COUNTER MAGNET AREAS

DETAILS OF YEAR-WISE RELEASE OF LOAN TO THE STATE/IMPLEMENTING AGENCY

YEAR	HARYANA	UTTAR PRADESH	RAJASTHAN	CMAS	TOTAL
1985-86	1.25	1.75	0.75	0.00	3.75
1986-87	1.38	2.25	0.36	0.00	4.00
1987-88	2.79	3.76	0.68	0.00	7.23
1988-89	2.95	5.07	1.34	0.00	9.36
1989-90	1.83	5.67	1.70	0.00	9.20
1990-91	1.58	6.37	3.56	2.00	13.52
1991-92	2.74	5.52	10.88	0.00	19.15
1992-93	0.00	2.80	6.07	0.00	8.87
1993-94	2.00	6.94	4.84	2.00	15.77
1994-95	0.00	9.20	4.51	0.00	13.71
1995-96	42.73	42.01	21.50	4.00	110.24
1996-97	78.50	38.81	25.43	3.00	145.74
1997-98	0.00	26.36	45.38	13.00	84.74
1998-99	124.93	74.62	7.25	0.00	206.81
1999-2000	124.30	103.41	0.00	10.74	238.45
2000-2001	71.05	84.79	3.73	0.00	159.57
2001-2002 (upto June, 2001)	76.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	76.19
Total	534.22	419.33	137.98	34.74	1126.28